

Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship

BUENOS AIRES,

IN VIEW OF File No. 17011/2015 of the Registry of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship, Presidential Decrees No.1023 of 13 August 2001 and No. 893 of 7 June 2012, and Resolution No. XXX of the Secretariat for International Coordination and Cooperation; and

WHEREAS:

By virtue of the resolution mentioned above, Articles 3 to 7 of Resolution No. 603 issued on 7 August 2014 by the Secretariat for International Coordination and Cooperation were annulled; the bid submitted by East Caribbean Financial Holding Company Limited was dismissed; the bid submitted by Johnson's Hardware Limited was deemed abandoned; and public bidding process ELUCI No. 1/2014 was declared unsuccessful.

The Embassy of the Argentine Republic in Saint Lucia still needs to lease a property to accommodate its Offices.

To such end, the General Directorate for Infrastructure, Services and Administration of Property amended the Technical Specifications adopted by Resolution No. 46/2014 of the Secretariat for International Coordination and Cooperation.

Through Cable CA ELUCI No. 10179/2015 of 12 May 2015, the Embassy of the Argentine Republic in Saint Lucia recommended an adjustment of the lease price, fixing it at SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FOUR UNITED STATES DOLLARS (USD 600, 174) for a lease for a term of FIVE (5) years, in addition to a security deposit.

The procurement will be conducted as a Private bidding process, in compliance with the provisions of Article 25(c) of Decree No. 1023/01, which approved the Public Procurement System of the Argentine Public Administration; and Articles 34(b), 35 and 159 of the Rules for the Public Procurement System of the Argentine Public Administration, adopted by Decree No. 893/12.

The Purchases and Procurement Directorate supports the adoption of this resolution.

The Budget Directorate has taken the steps incumbent upon it.

The General Administration Directorate and the General Directorate for Infrastructure, Services and Administration of Property have taken the steps incumbent upon them.

The General Directorate for Legal Affairs has taken the steps incumbent upon it.

The Undersecretariat for Legal, Technical and Administrative Affairs has granted its consent hereto.

This resolution has been issued in accordance with the powers conferred by Article 14(a)(II) and (b) of the Rules for the Public Procurement System of the Argentine Public Administration, adopted by Decree No. 893/12, amended by Decree No. 1039 of 29 July 2013.

**THEREFORE**

The Secretariat for International Coordination and Cooperation resolves the following:

ARTICLE 1.- The Bidding Terms and Conditions included in the Annex hereto as an integral part of this Resolution are hereby approved, with a view to leasing a property for the offices of the Argentine Embassy in Saint Lucia.

ARTICLE 2.- The call for bids for the lease of a property to be used as the offices of the Argentine Embassy in Saint Lucia for a term of FIVE (5) years is hereby opened.

ARTICLE 3.- The Purchases and Procurement Director, or his/her substitute, is hereby authorized to issue circulars in order to amend this Resolution, within the scope of Article 61 of the Rules for the Public Procurement System of the Argentine Public Administration, adopted by Decree No. 893/12.

ARTICLE 4.- Be it registered, filed and notified.

RESOLUTION No.

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